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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
		:	Examiner: D. Nguyen
WATARU SATO, et al.)	
	•	:	Group Art Unit: 2828
Application No.: 10/003,099)	
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Filed: December 6, 2001)	
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For:	LASER DEVICE AND LENS)	
	POSITION ADJUSTMENT	:	
	METHOD IN THE LASER)	
	DEVICE	:	April 20, 2004
Comm	nissioner for Patents		
P.O. E	3ox 1450		
Alexa	ndria, VA 22313-1450		

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 20, 2004 for two months, from February 20, 2004 to April 20, 2004.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$420.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

04/26/2004 MBERHE 00000064 10003099 01 FC:1252 420.00 OP I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

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Signature

April 20, 2004 Date of Signature Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa,

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our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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